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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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David T. Page

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Reply to Examiner's Requirement for Restriction, as Set Forth in the Action dated August 8, 2005

Sir:

In response to the Examiner's Office Action, dated August 8, 2005, Applicants respond as follows.

Remarks begin on page 2 of this paper.